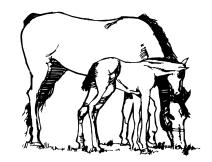
## **ANIMAL STORIES**

## The following titles are found in the J Fiction area.

Ackerman, N. SPIRIT HORSE. During the 1770's, a Siksika boy tries to track down and tame the legendary spirit horse.



- Armstrong, W.H. SOUNDER. A young black boy, angry and humiliated when his sharecropper father is jailed, grows in courage and understanding with the help of his dog, Sounder.
- Bagnold, E. NATIONAL VELVET. A 14-year-old girl wins a horse in a raffle, and becomes famous after she trains and enters him in competitions.
- Baur, M.D. RUNT. Runt, the smallest wolf cub in the litter, seeks to prove himself to his father King and the rest of the pack and to earn a new name.
- Byars, B.C. TORNADO. While waiting out a tornado in the cellar, a family listens to their farmhand tell the story of a dog that was blown into his life by a tornado when he was a boy.
- Cleary, B. RIBSY. After being separated from his owner, Ribsy, a city dog, has a string of adventures.
- Cross, G. GREAT AMERICAN ELEPHANT CHASE. In 1881, Tad and Cissie try to get an elephant to Nebraska while being chased by two unscrupulous villains.
- DeFelice, C. THE MISSING MANATEE. While coping with his parents' separation, Skeet spends his summer in his skiff, when he finds a manatee shot to death and begins looking for the killer.
- DiCamillo, K. BECAUSE OF WINN\_DIXIE (2000) India Opal describes her first summer in the town of Naomi, and all the good things that happen to her because of her ugly dog Winn-Dixie.
- Dowell, F. O. CHICKEN BOY. Since the death of his mother, Tobin's life have been in disarray, but after he starts raising chickens with his classmate, everything starts to fall into place.
- Duncan, L. HOTEL FOR DOGS. Liz and her brother try to keep secret the fact that they have nine dogs and need to find homes for them.
- Farley, W. THE BLACK STALLION. Shipwrecked Alex Ramsey tries to tame a magnificent wild horse.
- George, J.C. JULIE OF THE WOLVES. A 13-year-old Eskimo girl becomes lost after running away from home, but is befriended by a wolf pack. SEQUEL: JULIE.
- George, J.C. THERE'S AN OWL IN THE SHOWER. The spotted owls cost Borden's father his job as a logger, so Borden plans to kill any spotted owl he sees.
- Gipson, F. OLD YELLER. At first Travis doesn't like the stray dog, but it proves valuable to the family.
- Haas, J. BEWARE THE MARE. Although the horse Gramps bought for Lily appears perfect, he suspects there may be something wrong with her since her name is Beware.
- Harlow, J.H. STAR IN THE STORM. When a new law passes outlawing non-sheepherding dog, twelve-year-old Maggie tries to protect her beloved dog by keeping him hidden.

- Henry, M. MISTY OF CHINCOTEAGUE. When "The Phantom" and her colt are rounded up for the yearly auction, two children become determined to own a Chincoteague pony.
- Hooks, W.H. PIONEER CAT. When a young girl smuggles a cat aboard the wagon train taking her family to Oregon, it turns out to be the best thing she could have done.
- King-Smith, D. LADY LOLLIPOP (2000) A quick-witted swineherd and a pig named Lollipop are royally rewarded after they reform a spoiled princess.
- Kjelgaard, J. BIG RED. The action-packed tale of a boy and his dog who feud with a grizzly bear and have a run-in with a wolverine.
- Korman, G. THE CHICKEN DOESN'T SKATE. Milo's science project, Henrietta the chicken, becomes the mascot of their school's hockey team and their only chance for a winning season.
- Mazer, H. DOG IN THE FREEZER. Three unusual stories about a boy and his dog.
- Morey, W. GENTLE BEN. In the Alaskan wilderness, Mark befriends a bear.
- Mowat, F. OWLS IN THE FAMILY. The humorous true story of a family who raises two owls along with various other animals.
- Naylor, P.R. SHILOH. Marty tries to hide a lost beagle from his family and its owner, a man known for mistreating his dogs.
- North, S. THE WOLFLING. Robbie raises a wolf-pup, determined to prove to his family and neighbors that a wolf is as loyal and hardworking as any dog.
- Nuzum, K.A. THE LEANIN' DOG. In wintry Colorado during the 1930s, Dessa mourns the death of her mother, but the arrival of an injured dog and the friendship they form is just what they need.
- O'Hara, M. MY FRIEND FLICKA. A young boy is determined to be friend a rebellious horse.
- Rawls, W. WHERE THE RED FERN GROWS. The coming-of-age story of a boy and his hunting dogs.
- Ryan, P.M. PAINT THE WIND. After her overprotective grandmother has a stroke, Maya leaves her restricted life to stay with her mother's family on a remote ranch, where she discovers a love of horses and encounters a wild mare that her mother once rode.
- Staples, S. THE GREEN DOG. During the summer before fifth grade, Suzanne, a daydreaming loner who likes to fish and walk through the woods, acquires a canine companion.
- Taylor, T. TROUBLE WITH TUCK (1981) A young girl trains her blind dog to follow and trust a seeing-eye companion dog.
- Terhune, A.P. LAD: A DOG. Heartwarming stories of a heroic, adventurous and devoted collie.
- Wallace, B. RED DOG. Adam escapes from three cut-throat gold-diggers holding his family hostage, but his devoted red pup may lead the villains right to him.

